



JPL Facilities Construction Briefing

AGENDA

Thursday, October 7, 2010

von Karman Auditorium, Pasadena, California

7:30 a.m. **Registration & Coffee**

8:00-8:10 **Opening Remarks**

Martin Ramirez, Manager, Business Opportunities Office & Supplier Diversity Program

Welcome

Eugene Tattini, JPL Deputy Director Karl Bird, Manager, Acquisition Division Angel Castillo, Contracting Officer, Acting, NASA Management Office at JPL

8:10-8:25 **JPL Campus: An Introduction**

Dale Wright, Manager, Services & Institutional Support Subcontracts, Acquisition Division

An overview of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory—it's history, its people, its mission.

8:25-8:45 Facilities Construction Safety & Experience Modifier Rates (EMR)

Bob Develle, Division Manager, Facilities

JPL is committed to ensuring safety, safety best practices and improving on safety performance across the Laboratory. Bob will present "Making Zero Incidents A Reality" that provides information on the importance of selecting safe contractors; management during project execution; development of contract documents; and the level of owner involvement during project execution.

8:45-9:05 **Construction Health and Safety Program**

Charles Kasnow, Occupational Safety Project Office (OSPO)

This presentation will address the involvement of OSPO from the start of the project working in conjunction with the Acquisition Division with a focus on the safety submittal documents. Examples of these documents will be shared for perspective subcontractor applicants to become knowledgeable of the Laboratory's safety requirements.

9:05-9:25 Energy Conservation Management and Going Green Initiatives

Steve Rigdon, Energy Manager, Facilities Maintenance & Operation

The JPL Facilities Energy Manager will provide information on greening the government through energy efficiency, federal energy and water reduction mandates, ESPC (Energy Savings Performance Contracts) and ESCO (Energy Service Companies).

9:25-10:00 Panel Discussion: Construction 101

Moderator: Mary Helen Ruiz, JPL Business Opportunities Office

Gary Gray, Facilities Division

Randy Wager, Supervisor, Project Admin. Group, Facilities Eng. & Construction Section Debbie Lee, Supervisor, Construction Facilities, Acquisition Division Adolfo Delgado, Subcontracts Manager, Facilities M&O Subcontract, Acquisition Division Carlos Villarreal, EMCOR Operations Manager, Facilities M&O Subcontract

JPL Facilities will discuss the Construction Budget and Projects for Fiscal Year 2011, followed by JPL Acquisition providing an overview of the Construction Subcontracts Procurement Process. At this event, you will be one of the first to hear about the new Construction Subcontractor Screening Application being rolled out at JPL.

10:00-10:05 Break

10:05-10:30 Los Angeles County Office of Small Business – Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC), Debbie Cabreira-Johnson, Program Manager

This organization, partially funded by the Department of Defense Logistics Agency, is a resource provider for small businesses on government procurement opportunities, certification, technical assistance and other services. Information on future bid opportunities with the County of Los Angeles will be shared.

10:30-11:00 Construction Opportunities with NASA (The National Aeronautics & Space Administration) Robert Medina, Small Business Specialist, NASA Dryden Flight Research Center

Learn how to do business with NASA Dryden including upcoming construction opportunities at this NASA center located at Edwards Air Force base in Lancaster, California.

11:05 Closing Remarks

Martin Ramirez, Manager, Business Opportunities Office & Supplier Diversity Program

11:05-Noon Networking Opportunities with Exhibitors

Network with JPL Facilities Construction administrators and project managers; Acquisition Construction subcontracts managers, including JPL's general contractors, federal government agencies, and resource providers.